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1. 3200 OF PANAMA'S ESTIMATED 3400 TEXTILE AND CLOTHING WORKERS ARE ORGANIZED IN THE THREE NATIONAL LABOR CONFEDERATIONS. THESE ARE DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

COMMUNIST CENTRAL NACIONAL DE TRABAJJADORES (CNTP) -2000

CHRISTIAN CENTRAL ISTMENA DE TRABAJADORES(CIT) - 700

DEMOCRATIC CONFEDERACION DE TRABAJADORES (CTRP) - 500 DE LA REPUBLICA DE PANAMA

- 2. MOST OF THE INDUSTRY WORKERS ARE EMPLOYED IN TAILOR SHOPS AND SMALL FACTORIES TURNING OUT CLOTHING. CLOTH IS IMPORTED.
- 3. AN ADDITIONAL 200 WORKERS ARE EMPLOYED IN THREE GOVERNMENT-OWNED CLOTHING FACTORIES IN THE INTERIOR. UNDER THE LABOR CODE LABOR UNIONS DO NOT HAVE THE RIGHT TO ORGANIZE GOVERNMENT WORKERS.

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